

**TOWN OF DAVIE
TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM/PHONE: Gary Shimun, Town Administrator

PREPARED BY: Maria Mackie, Administrative Aide

SUBJECT: Proclamation

AFFECTED DISTRICT: NA

ITEM REQUEST: Schedule for Council Meeting

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: Lights On After School Day (October 22, 2009)

REPORT IN BRIEF: A request for a Proclamation was received for approval by Town Council

PREVIOUS ACTIONS:

CONCURRENCES:

FISCAL IMPACT: not applicable

Has request been budgeted? n/a

RECOMMENDATION(S): Other - Motion to Approve Proclamation

Attachment(s):

Proclamation

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Town Council and citizens of the Town of Davie enthusiastically support innovative afterschool programs and activities which ensure the lights stay on and the doors stay open for all children after school are firmly committed to quality afterschool programs and opportunities because they:

Provide safe, challenging, engaging and fun learning experiences to help children and youth develop their social, emotional, physical, cultural and academic skills.

Support working families by ensuring their children are safe and productive after the regular school day ends.

Build stronger communities by involving our students, parents, business leaders and adult volunteers in the lives of our young people, thereby promoting positive relationships among children, youth, families and adults.

Engage families, schools and diverse community partners in advancing the welfare of our children.

WHEREAS, Lights On Afterschool! is a national celebration of afterschool programs which promote the critical importance of quality afterschool programs in the lives of children, their families and their communities, and

WHEREAS, over 28 million children in the United States have parents working outside of the home, and more than 14 million children have no place to go after school; and

WHEREAS, the Children's Services Council of Broward County provides quality afterschool programs in our community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Davie, do hereby proclaim Friday, October 22, 2009 as:

LIGHTS ON AFTERSCHOOL DAY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7th
day of October, 2009.

Paul, Mayor

Judy